# Important Plants, Animals, and Habitats

This information is based on known occurrences or known geographic distribution of the species listed and represents the best available information available at the time the report was printed. For more information, please contact Beginning with Habitat.

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## Rare, Threatened, and Endangered Plants

Data from MNAP

Common Name	Scientific Name	Global Rank	State Rank	State Status	Federal Status
Douglas' Knotweed	Polygonum douglasii	G5	S2	SC	
Nodding Pogonia	Triphora trianthophora	G3G4	S2	T	

## Rare, Threatened, and Endangered Animals

Data from MDIFW

Common Name	Scientific Name	Global Rank	State Rank	State Status
Least Bittern	Ixobrychus exilis	G5	S2B	Е
Peregrine Falcon	Falco peregrinus	G4	S1S2N,S2B	E

## **Rare and Exemplary Natural Communities and Ecosystems**

Data from MNAP

Common Name	Scientific Name	Global Rank	State Rank
Lakeshore Ecosystem	Lakeshore ecosystem	GNR	S5
Leatherleaf Bog	Leatherleaf boggy fen	G5	S4
Northern Hardwoods Forest	Beech - birch - maple forest	G3G5	S4
Oak - Pine Woodland	Oak - pine woodland	G3G5	S4
Spruce - Pine Woodland	Red spruce - mixed conifer woodland	G3G5	S4

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Streamshore Ecosystem	Streamshore ecosystem	GNR	S4
Tall Sedge Fen	Mixed tall sedge fen	G4G5	S4

## Significant, Essential, and other Animal Habitats

Significant and Essential Habitats and Significant Vernal Pools from MDFIW

#### **Habitat Type**

Deer Wintering Area

Inland Waterfowl and Wading Bird Habitat

## **Bird Species of Greatest Conservation Need**

Primarily from breeding bird atlas and based on county distribution data. Based on known ranges, these species may occur in this geographic area if appropriate habitat is available.

Common Name	Scientific Name
American Bittern	Botaurus lentiginosus
American Black Duck	Anas rubripes
American Three-toed Woodpecker	Picoides dorsalis
American Woodcock	Scolopax minor
Baltimore Oriole	Icterus galbula
Barn Swallow	Hirundo rustica
Barred Owl	Strix varia
Bay-breasted Warbler	Dendroica castanea
Black And White Warbler	Mniotilta varia
Black-billed Cuckoo	Coccyzus erythropthalmus

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Blackburnian Warbler Dendroica fusca

Black-throated Blue Warbler Dendroica caerulescens

Black-throated Green Warbler Dendroica virens

Blue-gray Gnatcatcher Polioptila caerulea

Bobolink Dolichonyx oryzivorus

Brown Thrasher Toxostoma rufum

Canada Warbler Wilsonia canadensis

Cape May Warbler Dendroica tigrina

Chestnut-sided Warbler Dendroica pensylvanica

Chimney Swift Chaetura pelagica

Common Loon Gavia immer

Common Nighthawk Chordeiles minor

Eastern Kingbird Tyrannus tyrannus

Eastern Meadowlark Sturnella magna

Eastern Towhee Pipilo erythrophthalmus

Field Sparrow Spizella pusilla

Great Blue Heron Ardea herodias

Great-crested Flycatcher Myiarchus crinitus

Greater Yellowlegs Tringa melanoleuca

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Louisiana Waterthrush Seiurus motacilla Marsh Wren Cistothorus palustris Northern Flicker Colaptes auratus Northern Parula Parula americana Podilymbus podiceps Pied-billed Grebe Carpodacus purpureus Purple Finch Red Crossbill Loxia curvirostra Rose-breasted Grosbeak Pheucticus ludovicianus Scarlet Tanager Piranga olivacea Catharus fuscescens Veery Vesper Sparrow Pooecetes gramineus Willow Flycatcher Empidonax traillii Hylocichla mustelina Wood Thrush Yellow-bellied Sapsucker Sphyrapicus varius Yellow-throated Vireo Vireo flavifrons

## **Fish Species of Greatest Conservation Need**

Data from MDIFW, DMR, and USFWS. Based on known ranges, these species may occur in this geographic area if appropriate habitat is available.

Common Name	Scientific Name
Brook Trout	Salvelinus fontinalis
Wild Lake Trout (Togue)	Salvelinus namaycush

# Other Species of Greatest Conservation Need

Data from MDIFW, Damsel/Dragonfly Survey, and Maine Butterfly Atlas. Based on known ranges, these species may occur in this geographic area if appropriate habitat is available.

Common Name	Scientific Name
Graceful Clearwing	Hemaris gracilis